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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The regular meeting of the City Council was held on Tuesday evening Mayor Montgomery and Alds. MacEachern, Wagner and Ellis present.

Minutes of previous meetings read and adopted.

Correspondence

Tenders were read as follows for the printing of 6,000 weigh scale tickets: The Times $15.00; Central Alberta $18.00.MacEachern—Wagner — That the tender of The Times be accepted.—Carried.

From The Financial Journal, Winnipeg, requesting a subscription at $5.00 a year. Ellis—Wagner—That a copy of this journal be procured for the city office.—Carried.

From C. S. Lott, on behalf of the Townsite Company, re assessment for this year. Ellis—Wagner—That city clerk explain situation to Mr. Lott.—Ellis—That report be adopted—Carried.

The light and power committee reported on the matter of Dreamland Theatre. Ellis—MacEachern — That city clerk see Mr. Ellison and collect $50.00 on account and that matter be adjusted by registering of new metre.—Carried.

Ald. MacEachern reported on the matter on J. H. Martin's power, that the committee could not see its way clear to reduce his rate. MacEachern —Ellis—That report be adopted—Carried.

The following accounts were then passed for payment: General, $477.64; electric light, $232.43; waterworks and sewerage, $62.42.

G. R. Taylor, electrician, recommended the purchase of 14 lights,with switch board of 25 light capacity from the Canadian Westinghouse Co., for $1213.25. MacEachern—Wagner — That recommendation of engineer be accepted and lamps ordered at once.—Carried.

Meeting adjourned.

TO KILL MARKET POULTRY

If a chicken is to command the highest price on the market it must be prepared in such a way as to have a good appearance. There should be nothing left to interfere with its keeping qualities, hence the blood and the contents of the intestines are to be removed as far as possible. Of course, it is necessary to starve for twenty-four hours, allowing, however, a liberal supply of clean water during this period.

A very large portion of the unsightly poultry on the markets has not had the blood completely removed. This is shown by red dots which frequently occur when the feathers have been removed, especially over the thighs and the wings, or by the small veins which are seen over the breast and in the angles of the wings, the larger veins which mar the appearance of the neck. Generally it is the neck which shows most plainly the presence of blood in the fowl, or that a wrong method has been used in cutting the blood vessels. The neck is the first part to discolor, becoming first red or purple, and finally green after a few days or a week. Often there are discolored areas on the sides of the neck close to the head which look like bruises. These are commonly caused by the killer holding the neck of the bird when cutting the veins, and thereby preventing the blood from escaping. Not only are the results of bad bleeding observed in certain parts of the body, but the clear, bright color of the flesh for which every poultry dresser tries is never at its best unless the blood has been completely drained out.

Aside from the appearance of badly bled birds their keeping properties are very inferior. The flesh loses its firmness sooner; its flavor is not so good; the odor of stale flesh, and finally of putrefaction, comes sooner in every way the product is more perishable.

When the feathers are removed by scalding the bird may be killed by bleeding alone, and in that case the cuts are made to sever the veins. Unless the larger veins are reached, bad bleeding will be the result. On the other hand if dry picking is to be practised there must be a cutting of the veins and also a piercing of the brain to paralyze the feather muscles.

The sticking of the brain is sometimes performed by running the knife under the eye at such an angle that its point will touch the skull midway between the eyes and a little behind them; or the braining is accomplished by placing the knife about half way down the grove in the chickens mouth and then thrusting it up until the knife reaches the top of the skull. The knife should touch that part of the inside of the skull which lies about midway between the eyes. The point of the knife should then be moved backward and forward a little, so that enough brain tissue may be destroyed to paralyze the bird, yet not enough to kill it instantly.

Two large veins run up the neck to the head, one on each side. They unite by a "bridge vein" which is just below and behind the ear. This vein which connects the two others does not run straight across, but at an angle, so that it is farther from top the right than on the left side. If the feathers on the back of a chicken are pulled aside, on better still the moulting chicken, a depression will be observed, made somewhat each at each side of the back where the bird is alive, especially if a little pressure is used at the base of the neck, so that the blood is forced and distends them.

To pluck a chicken the head is killed hang it on a nail or hook. The operator's assistant, grasp the wings between the thumbs and the middle fingers of the left hand and hold between the third and fourth finger. This gives full control of the bird. The large wing feathers are removed with the right hand, also the stiff feathers at the wing joints. The tail feathers are removed with one quick twisting motion. The right hand is passed rapidly over the back, from rump to neck, removing the feathers with thumb and forefinger. The bird is then shifted to the right hand, and the left hand used in picking the soft feathers from the breast. If the scalding has been properly done, the feathers will come out easily. It will take some practice for beginners to become expert. The foregoing method may never be followed; no two pickers follow the same rule, and it may help some to adopt some method that gets the feathers off quickly.

All birds must be thoroughly cooled; many are better to be shaped as well. It is claimed that birds that are cooled under pressure, as described, are more tender, as the various gases are thereby expelled from the carcasses. Some handle birds up to cool; this process does not give them, but does not give them a shape desirable for picking. Here are the best methods in use:

As soon as the chicken is picked clean with its breast downward, and its legs are placed alongside of it, the carcass is forced down into the form of the shaper. The chicken is first covered with paper, and a weight placed on top to shape it; one leg is then placed against it to hold it in position. This same process is continued with the other chickens are placed, each chicken being placed in the shaper close to the last, and the long neck moved along to hold the row in position. The chickens are allowed to remain in the shaper for at least two hours. A shaper is simply a V-shaped trough, placed horizontally, with the lowest side of the V next to the back.—Family Herald.

CONDITIONS [illegible] TOWNSITE

W. J. McNamara, secretary-treasurer of the Western Townsites Investment Company, is in the city, and a guest of the King Edward.

This company was organized by Mr. McNamara for the purpose of securing and developing original townsites at favorable points upon the new lines of the three big railways. Besides a great deal of Canadian capitalists invested in the company, British money is said to be behind the scheme.

They have already secured the townsite of Lignite, on the G.T.P., 35 miles east of the Red Deer River.

A high level bridge is now being built at this point which will be as high and as long as that which will connect Strathcona with Edmonton. It will take over four hundred men most of next summer to construct it.

"Lignite, says Mr. McNamara "is located very much like Edmonton, is high and level on the north bank of the Red Deer River. It has the advantage of the G.T.P., Calgary branch the C.P.R. Brazeau line, and it will be the base and terminal of the Lacombe Rural Electric."—Journal.

ESTIMATES WERE TABLED ON FRIDAY

The estimates tabled in the Legislature Friday afternoon by Premier Sifton indicate the manner in which the $7,400,000 proceeds of the A. & G. W. bonds and the accrued interest are to be disposed of. The entire liability of the province at June 1st, 1910 amounting to $4,815,350 will be paid off and the balance $3,156,433 less the surplus of $305,000 in 1910 will be used in capital expenditure in 1911

The result of the large contribution to the provincial exchequer is that the revenue for 1911 will be more than as large again as that of 1910. In the latter year the total is $3,078,496 while in the former it is estimated at $6,603,177. The result will be that the expenditure both current and capital of 1911 will be made without incurring any permanent indebtedness and the year will end with the province entirely free from debt, exceeding what is due the Waterways bondholders.

Among the large items of expenditure for 1911 are, $25,000 for immigration and colonization, $7,500 for the Premier's expenses attending the Coronation, $160,000 for completing the asylum at Ponoka, $515,000 for Parliament buildings at Edmonton, $50,000 for new court house at Calgary, $50,000 for Land Titles office and additional site, Edmonton; $58,333 towards C.P.R. high level bridge, Edmonton, and $30,000 for new government house.

Premier Sifton created somewhat of a sensation in the Legislature shortly before midnight last night by an announcement which he made to the house. It was that the long missing plan of the A. & G. W. Railway location for all over Alberta during the last nine months had just been discovered by the clerk, Mr. M. Lowes, in the cupboard of the Speaker. This was the plan that was tabled during the famous debate and which afterwards disappeared. It shows the proposed line from a point seven miles north-east of the city to Innisfail. All the other documents were forwarded to the Royal Commission but this could not be found either to the commission or for the present session of the legislature.

Premier Sifton remarked last night that there was no signature of approval by Dr. Rutherford. In speaking on the Waterways bonds bill Mr. Bennett had made the disappearance of this plan one of the nine points of his address.

The finding of this plan without Dr. Rutherford's signature shows that the late Government gave no official endorsation to plans of the A. & G.W. Railway.

That all income taxes imposed by cities throughout Alberta shall be null out is a principal which has been adopted this session by the legislature and is now being acted on. For years there has been great complaint especially from railway men with reference to the taxing of their incomes and the latest move of the legislature will be particularly pleasing to this class as to others who have protested in the past.

Edmonton, Calgary and Medicine Hat suffered on Thursday night when all the provisions of their charter with reference to the imposing of a tax on incomes were wiped out. Lethbridge will also be treated in the same way at the first opportunity.

The legislature, led by the government has now committed itself firmly in opposition to this method of raising civic revenue and in future no such means of taxation will be entertained.

THE FIREMAN KILLED

THE CREW INJURED

As the result of a C.P.R. engine running off the track on the new Wetaskiwin line and rolling down a twenty-five foot embankment, one man is dead and three are in Edmonton hospitals, while a fifth is badly shaken up.

The accident occurred at five o'clock Saturday evening when a construction train was running out of Macklin to Wetaskiwin, with a string of empty cars. An open switch was the cause of the accident, one man being pinned beneath the debris.

Five men were riding on the engine to get warm. A special train brought all to Edmonton, reaching her at four o'clock Sunday morning.

The dead man is Thomas Wallace, a fireman, on his way back to the Old Country for Christmas. He died at eleven to-night. The injured are:—Thomas Lang, engineer; E. C. Brick, brakeman; Frank Cook, washout man, and John Black, brakeman.

All the injured are expected to recover. Brick had his arm cut off and all were badly scalded.

DAWLF

(From The Sun)

Jos. Thirek, I. D. Reber and Jacob Reber returned Saturday from White Fish Lake, where in company with Hi Reber and others they had been on a hunting trip. The company succeeded in getting five moose and one caribou.

The marriage of Miss Mathild Krestine Layher to Mr. Martin Bjorge is announced to take place at the home of the bride's parents, at Norse, Alta., on Wednesday, Dec. 14th, 1910. A wedding ball in honor of the event will be given in the Woodmen Hall, Ferry Point, on Friday evening, December 16th.

James Kennedy met with a narrow escape one day recently while crossing the Battle River with a load of coal from Smith's coal mines south of the river. The load and team broke through the ice and in trying to rescue them M. Kennedy's hand was badly cut. He succeeded in getting the team out safely, but the coal and the wagon are still in the river.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McLeod at Bawlf will regret to learn that they leave this week for Botha, Alta., to take up their future abode. Mr. McLeod having been transferred to the position of station agent at that place. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod and their two little sons, have been at Bawlf for three years and their many friends regret their departure, and wish them success and happiness in their new location. Frank B. Trickey, of Banff, C.P.R. relief agent, will succeed Mr. McLeod as station agent here.

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Joe Trca was elected managing director to hold office during the pleasure of the Board of Directors.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

The choir is preparing music both for Christmas and New Year's services.

On Xmas morning the Sunday school choir will lead the singing. It is hoped that every toy and girl of the Sunday School will be a church as well as their parents and friends the collection at this service will be a Xmas offering for Pakan hospital, Northern Alberta.

The Ladies Aid held their meeting on Wednesday, of this week.

The pastor has been away lecturing at Olds. He will occupy his own pulpit next Sunday at both services.

The rendering of "Lead Kindly Light" by Miss Thoralev, last Sunday evening was good.

It is expected that the Sunday School will have a pleasant evening for the scholars sometime between Xmas and New Years.

Rev. A. R. Aldridge, preaches on Xmas Day, Sunday, in the afternoon at Angus Ridge, and at John Knox School in the afternoon of New Years Day, Sunday.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY MEETING

The annual meeting of the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society was held in the city hall on Friday afternoon last, with a fair attendance. The president's and secretary-treasurer's reports showed the society to be in good condition, and plans for the ensuing year were considered. It is the purpose of the society to make next year's exhibition far superior in every way to any of the fairs held in the past.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Pres. W. Dudgeon, V.S., (by acclamation.

Vice-Pres., D. C. McLean.

Sec-Treas., C. D. Eaman, re-elected by acclamation.

Directors—Messrs. F. Lucas, M. Groves, D. Morrison, S. Prudden, Wm. Thirsk, A. B. Everts, H.T. Rix, Geo. Waterston, Lew Hutchinson, Amos Doupe, U. G. Stowell, John Berry, J. H. Robinson, C. A. Morris, and Thos. Willows.

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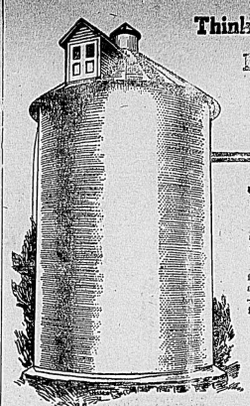

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FALL WHEAT JUMPS 40 PER CENT.

During the past fall there has been an increase of no less than 40 per cent. in the amount of land sown to fall wheat in Alberta, according to the annual report of the Department of Agriculture which was laid on the table of Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture. This year 180,000 acres of land have been sown in fall wheat as compared with 128,000 in 1909.

The report presented to the house yesterday afternoon deals with every branch of agriculture, of the stock and dairy industry, of fairs and institutes and with the game of Alberta. Owing to the fall year not being completed, the report is necessarily deficient in some respects, as it is not possible to arrive at proper conclusions in some respects, or to compile statistical tables until the returns for the full year have been tabulated.

The usual statistics regarding the formation of herd, poultry, bee districts are given, and the particulars of animals taken up and sold under the laws dealing with the running of animals at large.

The crop returns are as yet incomplete, but such as they are they indicate that there will be quite a large amount of grain in the province.

The Dairy Commissioner reports the dairy production of the Province as being somewhat smaller this year than last owing to short pasture during the spring and early summer. Those dairymen who made provision for green food succeeded in keeping up the flow of milk throughout the season and were thus able to take advantage of the comparatively high prices paid for dairy products during the year.

During the summer 50 creameries and 12 cheese factories were operated as against 53 creameries and 11 cheese factories last year. The output aggregated about 55 per cent of that of 1909. The shortage in volume should be nearly made up in value however as the government creameries alone have realized an average price of nearly 26 cents at creameries. This is 2 cents per pound higher than last year and is due in a measure to the adoption of a system of grading the cream and butter at the creameries and the payment of a premium of 1 cents per pound on all butter, and butterfat in cream grading "first."

Demand for milk and cream in larger centers is causing milk dealers to go as far as 50 miles or more for supplies. This shows that there should be excellent openings in the vicinity of large centers for dairying on a large and profitable scale.

The Live Stock Commissioner reports that the canvas of the Province made for patronage to much talked of pork packing plant resulted in only 12,764 hogs being pledged. He reports progress in the improvement being made in stock yards and feeding facilities at stations owing to the increasing number of farm bred cattle in the Province, thinks that a better method of marketing than now prevails must soon be established. It is noted that more stock cars are needed and that the time is at hand when double decked cars should be supplied for shipping hogs and sheep.

The game chief and fire guardian reports ducks less plentiful than in previous years; prairie chicken and partridge far more plentiful than for several years. The Hungarian partridge recently introduced are doing well, spreading over new territory. The fur returns show that small dealers handled 234,337 and wholesale dealers 671,986 muskrat pelts. The total transactions show that furs to the value of $641,778.05 passed through the hands of the various dealers. The revenue for the year 1910 promises to equal or exceed that of 1909 when it practically paid the total cost of game protection.

There is no reason why the revenue derived from game should not be sufficiently large in the future to cover adequate protection of our game which is being more generally recognized as a most valuable asset. Prairie fires are reported as being more frequent than in previous years. The number of convictions promises to exceed 240 in number, the total penalties to date amounting to $1,194.00.

The report of the Superintendent of Fairs and Institutes shows that a total of about 16,000 were in attendance at the 212 institute meetings held throughout the Province during the year. The three course schools of two weeks duration each, held at Lethbridge, Olds and Vegreville were well patronized and are steadily becoming more popular.

The excursion to the Experimental Farm at Lacombe in July was a great success, and should prove an annual event that will steadily grow in interest. During the year 20 new agricultural societies were formed. The outstanding feature in connection with the fairs of the Province during the year is the rapid growth which the large ones are making, particularly Calgary and Edmonton, and the increased support given them by the townspeople.

According to the Poultry Superintendent, greater interest is being taken in poultry raising than ever before. This is shown by the fact that the poultry breeding stations could not supply much more than a tenth of the demand for eggs for hatching purposes, and so great was the application for birds that a carload was brought in from Ontario to supply the demand.

The poultry shows were very successful, greater in number than ever before and promise to become much larger and more numerous the coming year.

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Christmas parcels sent by mail should be well packed in stout cardboard boxes, wrapped again in strong paper and tied securely with good cord, the address preferably written on the wrapper itself, and not upon a tag which is liable to be torn off.

Avoid packages less than 2 in. by 4 in. Better to empty a fair sized box and use packing to fill up.

Everything of value should be registered so that trace and proof of delivery may be furnished if necessary, the fee is only five cents.

Post everything early and avoid the crush and jam of the last day's mail.

ZAM-BUK CURES PILES.

Maritime Magistrate's Case.

Mr. C. E. Sanford of Weston, King's Co., N.S., a Justice of the Peace for the county, and a Deacon of the Baptist Church in Berwick, says: "I have used Zam-Buk for piles and found it a splendid remedy. It cured me."

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The Times

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

City News

Mrs. C. D. Enman will not receive on the fourth Friday, and not again until further announced.

The engagement is announced of Ana Bel, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Alfred Montgomery, of Collingwood, Ont., to the Rev Charles Thomas Pelham, M. A., of Wetaskiwin, Alta. The marriage will take place on Tuesday, December 27th, at Collingwood.

"What Letter Christmas present could you give than a beautiful piano, organ, or Singer sewing machine. See them at J. H. Robinson's 40-2t

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a Marion's Silver Medal Contest, Tuesday evening, Dec. 20th, at 8 o'clock in the Methodist Church. Come and hear the ladies speak on the subject of franchise.

Thos. Ambler who fell and broke his wrist a few days ago was in the city a few days ago having it dressed.

Rev. E. J. Holm, of Calgary, spent a few days of the past week assisting Rev. J. A. Wingblad in his meetings in this district. He left on Saturday for home.

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It Is Miserable To Be Dyspeptic.

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On Wednesday night, December 21 the Salvation Army will have their Xmas entertainment. A splendid programme has been arranged, in which the Salvation Army Brass Band will a prominent part. The programme consists of recitations, dialogues, singing, cornet solos, band music, etc.

Santa Claus will also take a very active part. The Xmas tree is open for patronage from the public. We want you to hang a present on the tree for your friend, but all parcels must be open for inspection and all presents must be at the Army Hall not later than 8 p.m., on Wednesday night, December 21st.

Admission 25c.; proceeds will be devoted to the social work.

Any contributions towards Xmas Festivals for the poor will be thankfully received by Ensign Aynes Barner, Officer in Charge, Salvation Army Work, Wetaskiwin, either by mail or call S. A. 'phone 219.

JOHNSON'S VOTING CONTEST

No. 4, 101650.
No. 5, 115700.
No. 15, 91000.
No. 16, 155870.
No. 25, 91000.
No. 27, 91005.
No. 33, 128050.
No. 35, 204660.
No. 36, 146755.
No. 39, 153685.
No. 40, 192546.
No. 44, 117680.
No. 50, 91000.
No. 54, 103570.
No. 57, 90375.
No. 60, 184060.
No. 63, 88000.
No. 64, 115120.
No. 66, 85605.
No. 67, 111985.
No. 68, 90960.
No. 69, 112440.
No. 70, 95000.
No. 72, 67230.
No. 75, 87635.

IMMANUEL CHROH

On Friday evening, Dec. 30th, the children attending Immanuel Sunday School, along with their parents will be treated to a Christmas tree and moving picture entertainment at Dreamland Theatre. The proceeding will commence at a quarter to seven o'clock with moving pictures appropriate to Christmastide, interspersed by songs and solos, after which the Christmas tree will be unveiled by Santa Claus, who will have a gift for every scholar. Of course all the scholars will be admitted free by ticket, and every family having children at the school will receive a complimentary ticket admitting one adult to accompany the youngsters. After been accommodated, the remaining valuable space may be occupied by other friends on payment of five cents at the ticket office at the Dreamland Theatre. Contributions towards the purchase of gifts for the children will be gratefully received by the Rector, by Mr. C. E. Compton or E. H. O'Brien, or they may be placed in a box just inside the church doors provided for the purpose.

This Saturday afternoon the Young People's Bible Class of Immanuel church will hold a sale of work, afternoon tea and home made confectionery in Girlings Hall, from two until six o'clock, the proceeds to be given to a fund for the purchase of a fone for the church. This will be a good chance for securing articles for Christmas presents.

On Sunday there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at Immanuel church, at the evening service.

On Christmas Day there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at the morning service at Immanuel church and a carol service will be held in the evening. At the Sunday school in the afternoon the children will receive their tickets for the Christmas tree and entertainment at the Dreamland Theatre on the following Friday evening, the 30th inst.

PLAIN TO BE SEEN

A characteristic Somersetshire story is told by Arthur Hawkes in the December Canada Monthly (formerly Canada-West.)

A farmer returning home late at night, found a man standing beside the house, with a lighted lantern in his hand.

"What are you doing here?" he asked, savagely, suspecting he had caught a criminal. For answer came a chuckle, and:

"It's only me zur."

The farmer recognized John, his shepherd.

"It's you John, is it? What the devil are you doing here, this time o' night?"

Another chuckle. "I'm a-coortin', zur."

"And who are you courting?"

"Ann, zur, she zed she'd 'av to goo in now, or she wood'n be up in time vur jhurnin', zur."

"But what are you doing here, now that she's gone in?"

"I'm a-waitin', zur, till she gets up to 'er winder, zur, and I can zee the candle goo out."

"And so you've come courting with a lantern, you fool. Why, I never took a lantern when I courted your mistress."

"No, zur, you didn't, zur," John chuckled. "We can all zee you didn't zur."

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Ladies' $6.00 Skirts for $3.75
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Children's and Misses' Coats from $2.00 to $6.00, worth up to $13.00

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All kinds of novelties for Men, Women and Children will go at what they will bring.

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A fresh stock of fine Groceries, Fruits and Confectionery all at 10 per cent. discount till December 24th

We will advice early forenoon shopping if possible on account of the eager crowds of buyers who will gather at the last days. Come, Come, by tram, come in sleighs or on horseback, come if you have to walk, in justice to yourself be sure and come.

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A $20.00 Set of Dinner Dishes given FREE, Get a Ticket with every Dollars worth of Goods

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We have many articles which would make very suitable gifts. Here are a few of them:

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Berry Spoons $1.75 and $2.00
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Pie Knives.............$2.50
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Gillette, Keen Kutter, Enders, Clauss, Gem Narwire, 25c to $7.50

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Spring and Hockey in great variety.

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A large assortment ranging in price from 10c to $2.50.

Solid Mahogany China Cabinet a bargain $40 00

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A great variety of Rockers from $4 00 to $20 00

1 Leather Couch golden oak finish, $45.00

Couches in Velour from $7.50 up.

Jardiniere Stands, $1.60 $1.80, $2.70, $3.15, $3 60 and up

Bissel Carpet Sweepers, $3 00 to $4.75

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A CALL TO DUTY

The Rev. J. A. Newnham, Bishop of Saskatchewan, has sent out through the Saskatchewan Issue, an appeal to the friends of Moral Reform in this province, asking for their support to Local Option by-laws. The Bishop has accepted the position of President of the Social and Moral Reform Council, and in his address he says:

Let Charity also keep us mindful that we are opposing vice, not people; that we fight against a vicious state of things, more than against the persons concerned; and that it is natural that those who profess to see no harm in their trade, and who have been depending on that trade, sanctioned by authority, for the acquisition of wealth, should fight strenuously and bitterly to retain that trade. Charity towards the honest and mistaken traders and servers of strong drink, and towards the poor victims the drunkards, their wives and families, and others who suffer through their fault; but no charity towards the devil at the back of it all, nor towards the trade itself, nor towards those miserable, selfish, hard-hearted people who know the curse in the business, who fully realize the evil they are doing, but who are, regardless of God or man, blind to the misery and tears and deaf to the groans and prayers of their victims, if only they can gather in for themselves the money so hardly earned by their customers and which ought to go to provide for wives and children, for sickness and old age.

Let us then with prayer, combined effort, and hearty determination, as well as with care and wisdom, press on our campaign for the banishment of drunkenness and other rampant vice, and especially just now, as a step towards that end, for the victory of the Local Option or local Veto vote. It may not be the most perfect and ideal method, but it is the best within our reach now. The liquor-sellers, whether hotel keepers or mere bar-room owners, are up in arms; they fully realize their danger, they see the progress of Local Option in the U. S. A, and in Canada they are banded together, sinking for a time their individual interests for the sake of the interests of the trade; they are taking counsel together and making the most careful plans of campaign; they have the prestige and the advantage of their past sanction by authority, and their financial "pull" on politicians and governments; they have altogether the inside track. But with God's help and man's persistent and resolute co-operation, we shall win. But we are going to lose unless you and I and the rest who desire sobriety are fearless, and determined, and self-denying in effort; and true to God and to our faith. You have done me the great honor, paid me the esteemed compliment, of electing me your President in this campaign. In God's name carry the flag to victory; give me the joy and honor of being President of a victorious alliance.

DECEMBER ATHLETIC WORLD

The Athletic World by its December number more strongly than ever establishes its position as the best athletic and sports magazine in Canada. Its exhaustive treatment of the world, national and world aspects and occurrences in the realm of outdoor and indoor sports fills a long felt want. The illustrations are many and excellent, depicting the happenings in universal athletics, especially representing to Canadians everything of sporting moment in the Dominion, giving a complete resume of the past month's seasonable sports. It is a national monthly of world scope for Canadian followers of athletic sports.

LACOMBE PRESBYTERY MEETING

A meeting of the members of the Lacombe Presbytery was called by the Moderator to meet at Lacombe, on Tuesday, December 6th at 2 p/m. Owing however to the delay of trains on both the eastern branches it was not possible to convene till the evening. At the first session a large amount of routine business was gotten over, mainly dealing with communications from the central office having to do with home missions and the year's finances. It was shown that owing to much greater undertakings in home mission work during the present year a considerable larger sum than usual would be required from each congregation to meet the outlay, and pastors were requested to bring the matter before their congregations with a view to securing as complete returns as possible before the close of the year.

The morning session was given over mainly to the matter of Home Mission work. Rev. W. D. Reid Supt. of Missions was present and outlined the plans of his department for aggressive work.

A part of both sessions was taken up in the discussion of the assembly's resolution on Union with the Methodist and Congregational Churches, the subject being open in the form of a debate. Revs. Smith of Morningside and McGougan of Wetaskiwin were appointed to uphold the side of the Pro-Unionists and Revs. Hamilton of Killam and Robertson of Stettler that of the Anti-Unionists. Mr. Robertson was ill and could not attend but Mr. White, of Lacombe agreed to second Mr. Hamilton's arguments and a very interesting discussion ensued, practically all the members present taking a part. No vote was taken on the question, it being thought better that this be deferred till the next meeting in the early spring. There was a full attendance of the clerical members with the exception of Mr Robertson, but a comparatively small number of elders present. Rev. T. W. Smith, of Morningside acted as moderator, and Rev. Mr. Hamilton as clerk. The next meeting will be held in Wetaskiwin, early in March of next year.

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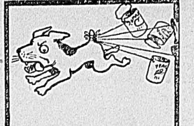

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ESTRAY—ON THE PREMISES OF John Berry, on E. E. ¼ sec. 2-24-25, West of 4th M., one light red Hereford, white face, 1 year-old heifer branded 6 9 on left ribs and lazy L on right hip, with horns. J. D. Cowan, Brand Reader. 38-3t

ESTRAY—ON THE PREMISES of M. O. Sherbeck, N. W. ¼ sec. 2-47-23 west of the 4th M., one black mully, 4 year old cow, big bloched brand on right shoulder. One black Mully 5 year old cow, bloched brand on right shoulder. J. D. Cowan, Brand Reader, Wetaskiwin. 38-3t

NOTICE—ALL THOSE WHO WERE so generous as to subscribe towards the building fund of the hospital at Wetaskiwin, are now requested to pay their notes at their earliest convenience, at the Imperial Bank in Wetaskiwin. Elsewhere will be found the building announcement of the hospital board.

By order,
35-3tn Thos. Toreson, Sec.

LOST—FROM PASTURE 2 MILES west of city, one pony mare, 2 years old, color bay, with four white feet. Notify Chas. D. Enman, owner.

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HORSES ESTRAY—FROM 36-42-23, about August 29th one black mare branded M G on the right hip; one yearling horse colt; one brown mare rat tail. Suitable reward for information leading to recovery. Jas. McLaughlin, Lewisville. 37-4t

STRAYED ONTO THE PREMISES of John Danielson, N. W. Sec. 10, 7 miles N. W. Ferintosh, on or about May 1st, 1910, four head cattle. One cow and calf, one heifer and one steer. Owner will please pay expenses and remove same, or they will be sold. 37-3t

ESTRAY ON THE PREMISES OF C. Cox, on west ½ of Sec. 18-22-45 west of 4th M. Post office Wetaskiwin, one red and blue four year old steer, branded J 3 on left hip and bloched brands on right ribs. J. D. ...and Reader, Wetaskiwin, Alberta. 37-3t

ESTRAY ON THE PREMISES OF Iver Kjos, on S.W. ¼ 17-47-23 west 4th M., one red and white Hereford white face, one year old, no brands, heifer; one red and white yearling steer, no brands; one bay mare, wgt. about 1,000 lbs, white spot on face, strap and bell on, Branded D on right shoulder and branded N. on left shoulder. J. D. Cowan, Brand Reader. 35-3t

ESTRAY—ON THE PREMISES OF C. Wiggs, on S. W. ¼ of Sec. 32-44-22, one light red heifer three years old, left horn broken off, no visible brands and also one mully black bobtail, 4 year old steer, bloched brand on right ribs. J. D. Cowan, Brand Reader. 36-3tn

MARE ESTRAY—FROM LEWISville, on or about Oct. 1st, one bay mare, weight about 1500, aged 3 years, branded J U 4 on left thigh, scar on right hind leg below hock. Suitable reward for information leading to recovery. J. W. Hosford, Lewisville. 36-4t

ESTRAY—ON THE PREMISES OF R. W. Swenson, on Sec. 32-45-23, west of the 4th M., Wetaskiwin P. O., one roan yearling heifer, with horns, branded 4 S on right hip and bloched brand on right hip; one red and white yearling heifer branded 4 S on right hip and bloched brand on left hip, with horns; one yearling heifer, red and white spotted, branded 4 S on right hip and bloched brand on left hip, tip of left horn broke off. J. D. Cowan, brand Reader, Wetaskiwin, Alberta. 37-3t

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Ladies' Hand Bags 35c to $3.00	Ladies' Belts in hundreds of different designs 25c to $2.50 each	Ladies' Fancy Collars priced from 25c to $2.50
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Perrin's Kid Gloves all sizes and color 75c to $1.50 Pair	Fancy Linens in all makes and designs from small doilies	Ladies' Mufflers silk or knitted 50c to $2.50
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Ladies' red Felt Kozy Slippers, cushion sole,	1 25
Ladies' plaid felt Slippers, felt & leather sole,	75
Men's plaid Artic Slippers, felt & leather sole,	1 50
Men's Romeo in tan and black	2 50
Men's Romeo in tan and black	2 25
Men's Dongola Slippers in tan	1 50
Men's Dongola Slippers in black	2 00
Men's Dongola Slippers in tan	3 00
Men's Fine Carpet Slippers	1 25

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6 Overcoats, slightly damaged in lining through shipment. They sell regular for $15.00 and $17.00. Special $7 00

$16 00 Black Beaver Coats, special price	$13 00
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$35.00 Black Beaver, Persian collar, quilted lining	28 50
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New Dates, 2 lbs.	25
Peanuts, per lb.	20
Brazils, Filberts, Walnuts and Almonds per lb.	25
Rochans, Parisian Chocolates, freshly made and shipped monthly per lb.	50
Maple Buds and Mochaillons in ½ lb. boxes	35
Highest grade Chocolates in fancy boxes 35c. to	$1.00
Batley's Celery, 2 bunches	25
Cucumbers 2 for	25
Cauliflowers, each	25
Red Rodger Grapes for Christmas, per basket	50
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Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or his father, mother, son, daughter brother or sister.

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The Times

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTE.

Wetaskiwin Presbyterian church, Rev. E. McGougan, pastor.

Sabbath services—11 a.m. subject "The Intercessor;" 7.30 p.m. subject "Believing."

Sabbath School and Bible Class at 2.30.

Young People's meeting Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Prayer and Praise Service, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

A very interesting meeting of the Young People's Society was held on Tuesday evening the 13th. The program was in charge of the Literary Committee, under the leadership of Miss Dudgeon. Mr. Norman MacEachern opened the evening with a paper on Current Events, in which a large number of the most interesting topics of the day were passed in review. Miss Swanson introduced the main topic of the evening which was Christmas Customs and read an excellent paper on Christmas in Other Lands. Miss Morson followed with a very cleverly written paper, which sought an answer for the question What Has Become of The Old Christmas; the main plea being for a return to the joyousness of the Christmas of the past, when in the interchange of gifts the heart figured more than the pocket book. In the absence of the president, the pastor occupied the chair.

The members of the Presbyterian choir have organized for a concert to be held in the church, this Friday evening. Several of the city's best singers from other churches will assist the choir. Admission will be by ticket, adults 35c., children 15c.

The Christmas entertainment of the Sabbath School scholars this year will take the form of a sleigh drive, to be held on the afternoon of Friday the 23rd. After the drive the children will be entertained to supper in the school-room of the church.

LONE RIDGE

A most enjoyable evening was spent by the young people of this district at the Lone Ridge school house on Friday evening last. The building was filled to hear the interesting and instructive address on the Peace River country, delivered by C. C. McLaren, superintendent of Baptist missions for Alberta, who spent several weeks of the past summer in the north country. A musical program was rendered. Refreshments were also served by the ladies of the district.

A Christmas tree and entertainment is being given in the school house on December 16th, by the pupils of the school. Miss McEachern, the teacher, has been indefatigable in her efforts to make this concert a success.

A MAN'S LIFE

A man's life is full of crosses and temptations. He comes into the world without his consent and goes out against his will, and the trip between the two is exceedingly rocky.

The rule of contraries is one of the important features of the trip.

When he is very little the big girls kiss him, and when he gets big he kisses the little girls and some of the big ones too.

If he raises a large family he is endorsed by the Premier, but if he raises a small cheque he is a thief.

If he saves money he is a miser, if he spends it, he is a spendthrift and if he loans it he is a (non compus mentus).

If he doesn't give to charity he is a stingy cuss, if he does, its for show.

If he dies young he had a great future before him, and if he is killed in an explosion he missed his calling.

The road is rocky, but man does love to travel.

A fine piano will help to make a man's life more in harmony with the good, the noble and true, and will greatly help to make the rough places smooth.

Buying the right kind of a piano and at the right price, from the right kind of people, makes him neither a chump, a thief, a bad manager, nor a spendthrift, but all who come into his presence will be made happier and brighter, and instead of being a stingy cuss his neighbors, friends and customers, will raise up and call him blessed.

The right kind of a piano to buy is a "New Scale Williams" or a "Sherlock-Manning" and the right price to buy it is right in Wetaskiwin your home town, and where you are making your money, and you can make a selection from among these pianos, players and non-players, from the Christmas stock of the local dealer, Mr. J. H. Robinson, on Front St. corner of Pearce.

The Royal Occupants of Windsor Castle sit in their beautiful drawing room, and listen to the sweet strains of music from a piano made by one of the above manufacturers.

Royalty has the best and so may you.

We can all be kings in this respect.

You can buy a piano of either of these makes from now till Christmas and also the highest grade parlor organs at large reductions from the regular prices and you are invited to call at the store of J. H. Robinson, where you can hear the sweet tones of these pianos, and learn how easy it is to become the happy possessor of one of them.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD

The regular meeting of the Board of Trustees was held on Dec. 13.

Present—Chairman, Fowler; Trustees, Ellis and Carlson.

Minutes of last regular and intervening special meetings read and approved.

Communications were read from secretary of Association of School Trustees, calling attention to the annual meeting of the association to be held in Wetaskiwin, January 25 and 26, 1911.

From C. M. Hughes, tendering his resignation. Moved by Trustee Ellis that the resignation be accepted.—Carried.

Accounts read amounting to $31.59, same were passed for payment on motion on Trustee Ellis.

Trustee Ellis mentioned the matter of the skating rink in the school yard being open to the public. It was shown that this rink was for the use of the pupils and had not been open to the public.

Salary schedule in the high school for the coming year was adjusted amicably.

Re the children's bank account the Principal was instructed to get this account balanced and closed up.—Carried.

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In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Supreme Court of Alberta.

Further particulars can be had from M. Evanson O'Brien, Wetaskiwin, Solicitor for the Plaintiff, and George L. Owen, Auctioneer, Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

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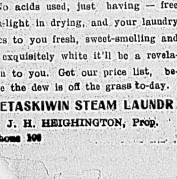

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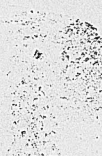

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This Old Portage road was constructed from material brought from England. The British government sent over experienced engineers to instruct the Americans in the running of the railway steam engines used upon the incline planes of the road in the Alleghany mountains. The railroad's highest point was about 2,700 feet above sea level, being only 200 feet lower than the neighboring hill, which is the highest point of the Alleghany mountains in Pennsylvania. The road consisted of ten planes, five of which were on either side of the mountain and intervening levels. In 1835 the canal boats were so constructed that they could be taken in sections and hauled over the mountain on flat cars without disturbing their cargoes. The rails were secured to stone sleepers, twenty inches square, which were sunk in the ground.

On the Old Portage road the best time for the forty miles between Hollidaysburg and Johnstown was twelve hours. Express trains on the Pennsylvania railroad now run a closely parallel distance over the Alleghany mountains in a trifle over one hour. The passenger traffic on the road in those days was mainly limited to one car each way a day, with a capacity of thirty passengers.

In 1857 the Pennsylvania Railroad company bought the Portage road from the state of Pennsylvania.

PITH AND POINT.

Three-fourths of the things that are put off could be done at once.

If it's your prize song that is singing, it doesn't make any difference if he can carry the tune or not.

In looking back over his past every man must admit that the sun shone a great deal and that he made little hay.

Occasionally you find a man who enjoys staying at home so much that he will let his wife sweep all around him.

The jolly blacksmith and jolly innkeeper belong to song and history, but they have got the blues since venturing into modern life.

In every small town there is some poor old failure of a man with a big family hanging on him of whom it is said, "He was considered a great catch when he was young."

Do Animals Think?

The following facts, which I saw with my own eyes on repeated occasions, fully convinced me that animals have the powers of memory and thought. I once had a three parts bred black and tan terrier, which slept in a basket in my bedroom that opened into the nursery. One of my children was from ill health very fractious, and whenever Tiny heard it cry she would go into the nursery, hunt about until she found a squeaking rag doll, take it to the side of the cot and, sitting up, shake it to amuse the child. If in doing this she did not find the presence of memory, thought and reflection I utterly fail to see to what her clever performance could be attributed.—London Globe.

Silver Thaw.

"Silver thaw" is a name applied to winter phenomenon of frequent occurrence at Red Nevis observatory. It consists of rain falling when the air is below freezing point and congealing whenever it reaches the ground. Of course this points to an inversion of the temperature, which is lower on the mountain top than at greater heights, and, being largely associated with a cyclonic distribution of pressure, it is of considerable "forecasting" value.

Cautious.

Markley—I say, suppose you pay me back that 10 shillings you owe me now." Borroughs—Really, old man, I can't do that. Markley—But you've got it to spare today. Borroughs—I know, but there's no telling when I may need it.

Had His Own Troubles.

"Are you an advocate of woman's rights?" asked the woman with the square chin.

"Not me," answered the meek and lowly representative of the other sex. "Man's wrongs take up all my spare time."

Information Bureau.

Holland—Hello, Jones! What do you think of this for weather? Jones—I'll tell you when I come back from the barber's. I am always sure to get full information on the subject from the man who shaves me.

Looking Forward.

The Invalid—The doctor says I must not smoke or drink for a year. Friend—Oh, well, he knows you'll have to economize to meet his bill.—New York Press.

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"Yon the snow-light came upon me
I will tell you as I go—
The slight of the snow-hunter,
Who was in the midnight snow.

"In the cold December heaven
Came the pale stark and the stars,
To the valley and was staking
Behind the pine-tree bark.

"Came every one deeply drifted
In the lily fields about,
And the moon looked out and me
And I stood a single figure in the wild.

"Came about on the hillside,
In the sun and wind,
Was not life or motion
To break the solitude.

"Save the wailing of the moosebird,
With a plaintive note and low,
And the shaking of the red leaf,
Upon the frozen snow.

"And said I, 'Though dark to falling,
And far the camp must be,
Yet my heart it would be lightsome
If I had but company.'

"And then I sang and shouted,
Keeping measure as I sped,
To the hard-tread of the snowshoe,
As it sprang beneath my tread.

"Not far into the valley
Had I dipped upon my way,
When a dusky figure joined me,
In a capuchin of grey.

"Pending upon the snowshoes,
With a long and limber stride;
And I hailed the dusky stranger
As we traveled side by side.

"But no token of communion
Gave he by word or look,
And the fear-chill fell upon me
At the crossing of the brook.

"For I saw by the sickly moonlight
As I followed, heeding low,
That the walking of the stranger
Left no footmarks on the snow.

"Then the fear-chill gathered o'er me,
Like a shroud around me cast,
As I sank upon the snowdrift,
Where the shadow-hunter passed.

"And the other trappers found me,
Before the break of day,
With my dark hair blanched and white
As the snow in which I lay.

"But they spoke not as they raised me,
For they knew that in the night
I had seen the Shadow-hunter,
And had withered in his light.

"Benoit, Marie speed us!
The sun is falling low—
Before us lies the valley
Of the Walker of the Snow."

—Charles Dawson Shanly.

A CANADIAN EGYPTOLOGIST.

Found Pharaoh's Tomb—Important Discovery by a Toronto Explorer.

Mr. C. T. Currelley, M.A., of Toronto, assistant on the Egyptian Exploration Fund staff, had recently the good fortune to discover the tomb of Aahmes, first King of the eighteenth dynasty, the Pharaoh of the Bible, who "knew not Joseph," and under whom the oppression of the Hebrews commenced. This tomb had been searched for for some years without success, and its discovery is on that account even more gratifying than it would otherwise be. The tomb is described as one of the largest known, the entry being by a shaft or well sunk in the rock of the desert and forty-five feet in diameter. At the bottom of this is a square chamber, which no doubt opens into various passages and chambers, as is usual in such tombs.

The mummy of Aahames has already been discovered, having been removed from the tomb to a safer place during some turbulent period. The chief value of the discovery, however, will be in the historical material contained in the inscriptions with which the walls of such tombs are decorated, and which may perhaps throw light upon some important matters of sacred history.

Mr. Currelley left Egypt at the end of March to spend four months working on the pre-Mycenaean deposits of Crete under the British School of Archaeology. In addition to the valuable collection presented by the Egypt Exploration Fund to Victoria University last autumn, Mr. Currelley expects to ship further archaeological materials before leaving Egypt. The work of establishing a branch of the Egypt Exploration Fund in Toronto has been undertaken by the Chancellor of Victoria University.

Early Canadian Travelers.

The Ontario Historical Society is doing a useful work in reproducing papers and records and making them accessible to the public. Its fourth volume gives an account of the exploration of the great lakes in 1669-70, by Dollier de Casson and De Brehant de Galinee. It contains Galinee's narrative in French, with an English translation, a fac-simile of Galinee's map, the portraits of Colbert, La Salle, Laval, Talon and other illustrations.

Dollier de Casson was 33 years old when he arrived in Canada. He was a man of enormous physical strength, and before entering the church had distinguished himself as a cavalry captain under Marshal Turenne. Galinee was of a noble Breton family. On the expedition described in this volume they were associated with the famous La Salle, the hero of one of Parkman's works, then just at the outset of his career.

Mrs. Sadlier's Career.

Mrs. James Sadlier, a well-known Canadian authoress, is lying at the point of death. She is 82 years of age, and has written a large number of books in her time. Mrs. Sadlier was the Irish wife of a French-Canadian, and was born in the County Cavan. Her religious writings which have made her a favorite author among her Irish Catholic countrymen are not so well known as the romances dealing with Irish emigration in which Hon. Thomas D'Arcy Magee believed her to be unsurpassed. For some years Mrs. Sadlier edited The New York Tablet, and, returning to Canada to end her days, was presented in 1895 with the Lactare medal by the University of Notre Dame du Lac, Indiana, for distinguished services to the American Catholic public.

"Working over" the manure heap is one of the jobs of the month.

The quicker a cold is gotten rid of the less the danger from pneumonia and other serious diseases. Mr. B.W. L. Hall, of Waverly, Va., says: "I firmly believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to be absolutely the best preparation on the market for colds. I have recommended it to my friends and they all agree with me." For sale by all dealers.

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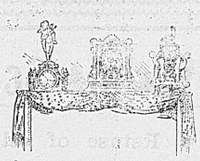
Chain Purses	$ 4.00
Bracelets, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 $4.00, $5.00 up to	28.00
Necklaces, $1.00, $2.00, $4.00, $6.00, up to	50.00
Brooches, pearl and other stones $1.25 up to	25.00
Chains, Silver, Gold-Filled and Gold $1.50 to	35.00
Lockets, Gold-Filled and Gold, 10 and 14k $3.00 to	30.00
Rings, all sizes and combinations $4.00 to	225.00
Watches, Silver Gun Metal, Gold $4.00 to	75.00
Collar pins, Gold Filled and Gold, 25c to	$5.00
Belt Pins in the newest styles $1.00 to	5.00
Blouse Sets, newest designs $1.00 to	9.00
Thimbles, 35c, 50c, 75c and	1.00
Fobs, Gold Filled and Gold, $1.25 to	8.00
Umbrellas, Sterling mounted, $4.50 to	11.00
Bracket Watch, guaranteed	11.50

Clocks



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A shipment of Chime Clocks has just arrived, they came in the Mahogany and Walnut finishes, all have the Westminster Chimes. Special for Xmas ..... $30.00 & $35.00

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To each and every customer making a purchase of $1.00 or over between Dec. 1st and Dec, 25th. 1910 will be given a ticket with a number on.

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One half doz Sterling Tea Spoons.
One Mantle Clock, Cathedral Gong.

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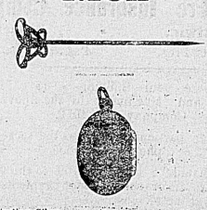
Casserole Dishes	8.00 to 12.00
Cut Glass Bowl	8.00 to 13.00
Diamond Ring	10.00 to 225.00
Fern Pot, Silver or Cut Glass	2.00 to 15.00
Long Gold Chains	3.00 to 30.00
Mantle Clock, 8 Day	7.00 to 60.00
Sterling Silver Tea Set	36.00 to 50.00
Smelling Salt Bottle	1.50 to 2.00
Silk Umbrella, silver mounted	4.00 to 9.00
Silver Plate Tea Sets	15.00 to 60.00
Watches	7.00 to 75.00

Gifts for Your Husband

Scarf Pins	.50 to 25.00
Cuff Links	.50 to 20.00
Pearl Tie Holders	5.00 to 7.00
Solid Gold Lockets	4.00 to 30.00
Gold Filled Lockets	1.00 to 5.00
Gold Cane	15.00 to 18.00
Silver Mounted Umbrella	4.00 to 9.00
Ring	5.00 and up.
Smoking Set	6.00 to 8.00
Shaving Mug and Brush	5.00 to 6.00
Military Brushes	5.00 to 10.00
Society Emblems in Pins, Lockets, Cuff Links, Etc.	1.00 to 25.00

Gifts for Young Men



Cigar Cases, Sterling Silver	$3.00
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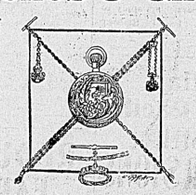
Diamond Set	14.00 to 20.00
Gold Filled and Silver	.50 to 3.00
Signet Rings	3.50 to 9.00
Fob, Silk, Gold or Gold Filled	1.00 to 9.00
Locket 10k and 14k	4.00 to 35.00
Plain or Stone Set, Gold Filled	1.00 to 5.00
Military Brushes	5.00 to 10.00
Match Safe	1.00 to 2.50
Set of Vest Buttons	2.00 to 3.00
Shaving Brush and Mug	5.00 to 6.00
Smoking Set, Silver	8.00
Scarf Pins	.50 to 30.00
Umbrella	4.00 to 7.00

Watches & Chains



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City News

The season for white fish opens today, (Thursday.)

R. M. Angus made a business trip to Edmonton, the fore part of the week.

Miss Logge left on Saturday for Toronto, where she will spend the winter with relatives

Remember the concert to be given in the Presbyterian church, this Friday evening under the auspices of the choir.

H. E. Todd, manager of the Merchants Bank at Medicine Hat, was renewing acquaintances here the fore part of the week.

The many friends of Theo. Carlson are pleased to know that he is doing remarkably well with his studies at the college in St. Paul.

Rev. C. T. Holman left for the east on Monday to spend Christmas with relatives. Dame rumor says he will be accompanied by Mrs. Holman on his return.

Three houses in the city were quarantined this week—that of Dr. MacKay for Measles and those of W. H. Eggleston and Jake Schantz for Scarlet Fever.

Mr. Martin left to-day for Toronto, and other places in Ontario, to visit friends. It is thirty years since Mr. Martin left Ontario, and this is his first trip back.

Mrs. Sundwall, of Gwynne passed through the city on Monday en route for Spokane, Wash., where she will make her future home. Mr. Sundwall will join her in a few weeks.

The junior Hockey Club went to Ponoka on Tuesday and played a 1-1 game with the team at that place. This (Thursday) evening a game is being played on Wetaskiwin ice, the visitors being Leduc.

*See the nice stock of pianos, organs, and sewing machines at J. H. Robinsons. 40-2t

F. M. Beairsto moved his implement business this week to the building on Lansdowne Street, first door east of Wagner & Dore's blacksmith shop. W. B. Eggleston has leased the premises vacated by Mr. Beairsto, Railway St. and is having them remodelled and fitted up in first-class style and will have one of the best livery barns in the west when completed.

NOTICE

Tenders wanted for the purchase of the following parcel of land, situated within the limits of the city of Wetaskiwin, namely: —

The whole of Block numbered 41, as shown on a plan of Weiler addition to the City of Wetaskiwin; title clear.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to January 14th, 1911. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Wetaskiwin, this 12th day of December, A. D., 1910.

E. D. H. WILKINS,
40-5t Solicitor for the Owner

ESTRAY—ON THE PREMISES OF C. Cox, on W. ½ of Sec. 18-42-25, west of 4th M., one white and blue 1 year old steer, branded J 3 on left hip and bloched brand on right hip, and one red and white heifer, 2 years old with horns, no visible brands. D. Cowan, Brand Reader, Wetaskiwin Alberta. 40-3t

LOST—IN WETASKIWIN, ON DEC 9th, a pocket book containing a $5.00 bill and cheque for $2.00. Suitable reward by leaving same at The Times Office. 40-1tn

HEIFER ESTRAY—CAME ONTO the premises of Samuel Radke, S W. ¼ 2-43-32, on or about November 30, one red heifer, three white legs, and one white foot, white foot, white tail, end of left ear cut off and rear slit. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take animal away. Chas. Tate Brand Reader. 40-3t.

IMPOUNDED—IN COWAN'S POUND one white heifer, one year old, crippled on front leg, no brand visible. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take animal away. B. F. Shantz, Poundkeeper. 40tf.

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Meets in the Masonic Hall, Merchants Bank Block the third Thursday of each month. Visiting Brethren always welcome.
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D. A. Sharpe was a visitor at the Capital this week on business.

*Nice piano (has been used) for $150 till Christmas, at J. H. Robinson's.

John Baxter left for Spokane, Wash. on Monday, to spend a few weeks with friends.

J. F. Richards was called to Tacoma, Wash., the first of the week, owing to the serious illness of his father,

Rev. A. Carlson, of Camrose, will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church, both morning and evening on Sunday next.

Roy F. Campbell, was taken to the hospital a few days ago suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia. We are pleased to report that he is recovering nicely.

Miss Martin has been engaged as matron for the Scandinavian Hospital, duties to commence Xmas, succeeding Miss M. Anderson, who has resigned.

L. E. Martin left this week for Camrose, where he will reside in future. He will open a second-hand store, conduct an auctioneering business, etc. His friends here wish him all success.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, of Ferry Point, passed through the city on Thursday, on their way to visit relatives at Glencoe, Ont. Mrs. Simpson has just left the hospital where she has been treated for the severe burning she received some five months ago.

The concert given by the Dixie Jubilee Singers last Friday evening, was greatly enjoyed by the small crowd. The baseball club was not assisted in this concert, as they should have been, and as a consequence, the management lost considerable money through the venture.

Mr. Patterson, who has been manager of P. Burns & Co.'s business for some time past, left on Tuesday for the coast, where he will reside in future. He has not been enjoying good health, and he hopes the change of climate will be beneficial.

Mr. Brackett, of P. Burns & Co., left for Calgary on Thursday on business. We understand he will leave for Lethbridge the first of the year to assume the management of a new shop there.

BORN

LINDEN—At Crooked Lake on the 14th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Nels Linden, a daughter.

LATIMER—Near Lewisville, on the 14th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. E. Latimer, a son.

WETASKIWIN MARKET REPORT

DECEMBER 15

Wheat, No. 1 Northern	00 72	00 72
Wheat No. 2 Northern	00 68	00 68
Wheat No. 3 Northern	00 65	00 65
Wheat No. 4 Northern	00 59	00 59
What No. 5 Northern	00 53	00 53
Wheat No. 6 Northern	00 47	00 47
Feed	00 40	00 40
Wheat, Feed	00 42	00 42
Oats	00 28	00 28
Barley	80 37	00 37
Eggs	0 35	0 35
Butter	00 27	00 27
Flower, Bakers, Cwt.	2 50	2 50
Flour X X X	2 00	2 00
Flour, Hungarian Patent	3 00	3 00
Chopped Wheat, Cwt.	1 00	1 00
Shorts Cwt.	1 0	1 50
Bran, Cwt.	1 00	1 00
Potatoes	00 40	00 40
Steers on foot	3	3½
Beef (dressed)	05 00	05 50
Cows on foot	2½	
Sheep	0 05	0 05
Hogs	07 00	07 00
Pork	08 00	09 00
Lambs	5½	5½
Veal live	00 08	00 01
Veal, dressed	00 06	00 07
Chickens, dressed	0012½	00 14
Turkeys, live	00 14	00 14
Turkeys dressed	00 18	00 22
Geese, live	0 10	0 10
Geese dressed	12½	12½

DISTRESSING HEADACHES

Headaches are largely the results of disordered kidneys.

Mrs. Hall, 84 Flora Street, St. Flora St., St. Thomas, Ont., says: "I suffered for years with headaches of a most distressing nature. They would come on me suddenly, and would last for days at a time. These were usually accompanied by spells of dizziness that would leave me unable to attend to any house duties. My back was weak and caused me much suffering through the night. I had doctored for years, but all to no avail. Nothing benefitted me and my condition was gradually becoming worse. I learned of Booth's Kidney Pills. One box gave me a complete and lasting cure. I have not had sheadache or dizzy spell since and I feel like a new person.

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The price of "Dr. Wood's" Norway Pine Syrup is 25c. It is put up in a yellow wrapper. Three pine trees is the trade mark. Be sure and accept no substitute for Dr. Wood's.

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We have completed arrangements with the Family Herald publishers by which our readers can enter the competition for this prize trip and it will certainly be a trip to be remembered.

Here Are The Conditions

The issue of the Family Herald and Weekly Star of September 15th, 1910, had 656,370 readers based on an average of five readers to each paid subscription.

How many readers will the issue of MARCH 15th, 1911, on the same basis, have?

We offer The Times and The Family Herald and Weekly Star for one year at $1.75 and every person accepting this offer has the right to make an estimate and the Family Herald and Weekly Star will send the first three of its readers who make he correct or nearest to correct estimate to England with all expenses paid from any part of Canada and a liberal allowance for spendingmoney.

Estimate coupons can be had at this office, which must be filled in and accompany your subscription to the two papers.

The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, is the Greatest Family and Farm Paper on this Continent, and can safely be depended upon to carry out this unique competition impartially. We hope to see some of our readers win the trip. Send your subscriptions in now.

The Times

XMAS. SUGGESTIONS

How often you hear a person say, "I wonder what I had better get So-and-So for Xmas."

HERE ARE A NUMBER OF LINES THAT ARE ACCEPTABLE

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Fancy Handkerchief Boxes

These are Japanese work and are most beautifully finished

35c., 50c., 65c.

Manicure Cases

Well finished and satin lined. The fittings are of the best quality

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Made of brass. Something every smoker needs

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Ladies' Hand Mirrors

Made of bevel plate, glass in solid Ebony backs

98c.

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Put up in neat boxes. 5 frills to the box

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Each in separate box at

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Put up in handsome cases at

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Bill Folds

Made of pig skin and will last a lifetime

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In Silver Cases $5.00
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In Gold Plate Cases 6.00

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3 pieces, of good quality in case per set

$3.00 to $9.00

Children's Plates

Unbreakable. Unspillable. The Alphabet around the edge

40c. each

Nut Crackers

6 picks and a set of crackers put put up in a case

40c

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What would be nicer for your wife or daughter than a

Raymond Sewing Machine?

She deserves the best there is, and a Quiet, Easy Running, Beautifully Finished Raymond would be one of the most acceptable presents you could give her. You have the most modern machinery to do your work with, why not get the most modern for her? Just think of the pleasure it would give her. The Raymond has been the choice of particular people, and those who know, for half a century. Call in and talk about it.

Fancy Back Combs

Inlaid with gold and set with brilliants; each put up in a neat case. Handy to mail

$1.75 to 2.25

Gents Ties

Special for Xmas, put up in Holly boxes and the ties are all up-to-date. Goods can be mailed without any trouble, each

60c.

Gents Brush and Comb Set

Handsome leather case, satin lined, fitted with hair brush clothes brush and comb

$4.00

Shaving Sets

Heavy plate mirror, on nickle stand with brush, soap dish and water mug also mounted

$4.00

Ladies Hand Bags

Here are two lines of exceptionally good ones for Xmas presents

$2.00 to $2.75

Ladies' Brush and Comb Cases

Put up in leather cases, handsome lining and finished to perfection

$3.00

Auto Scarfs

Here is something that every women will appreciate, we have a great variety of these. They are made of pure silk and in white cream and all the delicate shades. Just the thing for attending dances operas or any evening performance each

$1.00 to $4.00

Grandfather's Clock

In Mission design

$15.00

Pearl Handled Knives and Forks

Half dozen each knives and Forks, put up in solid oak cabinet

$12.50

Gents Toilet Cases

Good leather case, fitted with comb, military brush, soap box and tooth brush

$2.25

Crumb Trays

Japanese work, something every woman needs

$1.25

Battenburg & Drawn Linen

We cannot begin to tell you all about these lines, but we have an immense range from the Small doylie to the large table cover. See them

Mission Rockers

Solid leather spring seat

$9.00

Arm chair to match

$8.00

Community Silver

Louis XVI. pattern

Tea spoons per doz. $5.50
Dessert spoons per doz. ... $8.50
Table spoons per doz. ... $10.00

China

We have a big range of Japanese China in hand painted and liquid gold trimmed.

Let us Send Your Presents

MAKE YOUR SELECTION AND WE WILL LOOK AFTER MAILING OR EXPRESSING THEM ANY PLACE FOR YOU

Ladies' Pen Knives

Self-opening. Just the thing for ladies use

Ladies' Fur Lined Coats

1 Only Black Beaver Coat, $65

This coat is good honest stuff right through. Lining is of No. 1 Marmot, and the trimming is self strapping, soutache and buttons. Size 38 Collar of No. 1 American Sable.

1 Only Green Beaver Coat, $47

This is a bargain to whoever buys it. Lined with good quality Marmot, satin faced, collar of Hudson Bay Sable Size 36. Same coat as above in navy, size 38.

Green Beaver Coat, $27

Lined with satin throughout, and collar of No. 1 northern rat, size 34.

Navy Beaver Coat, $22

Satin lined throughout, collar American Sable, size 38

Christmas Groceries

Imported Peels, per pound	25c
Table Raisins in 5½ pound boxes, per box	$1 25
Valencia Raisins, in 28-pound boxes, per box	3 25
Valencia Raisins, in bulk, 2 pounds for	25
Muscatel Raisins, 3 Crown, 2 pounds for	25
Sultana Raisins, per pound	15
Seeded Raisins, 15-oz packages, 2 for	25
Seeded Raisins, 12 oz. packages, per package	10
Filiatra Currants, cleaned, 2 pounds for	25
Navel Oranges, per dozen	40c, 50c, 60c
Japanese Oranges, per box	1 00
Apples, the best to be had... $2 25 per box, 3 pounds for	25c
Grapes, red or black Rodgers, per basket	50c
Cranberries, per pound	15c
Figs 3-inch, 2 pounds for	35c
Smaller Sizes Figs, per pound	15c

Our stock of **Christmas Confectionery** is second to none shown in the city, either as to assortment or quality. We have not space here to enter into descriptions and prices. See it on display in our Grocery Department.

Men's Fur Coats

We have 5 men's Fur Coats which are slightly damaged, but have a lot of wear and warmth in them yet

2 Only Brown Bear Coats that were $24, to go at $14 00.

1 Only Brown Calf Skin was $35, to go at $19.

1 Only Black Galloway, was $28, to go at $15.

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